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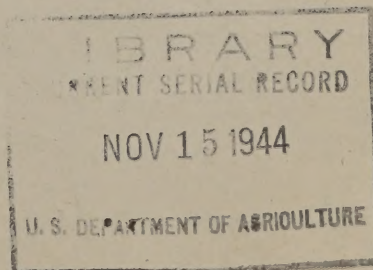
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1944 Production Goals for Principal Commodities, with Comparisons

Commodity	Unit	Average 1937- 1941	1943	1944 Goal	1944 Indicated 1/	1944 Goal Percent of 1943	1944 Indicated Percent of 1944 Goal
<u>Grain and Hay</u>							
Corn, planted	1,000 Acres	91,975	97,136	100,253	99,606	103	99
Oats, planted	"	39,646	42,558	39,558	44,023	92	111
Barley, planted	"	14,290	17,329	17,372	14,483	100	83
Sorghums (except sirup), planted	"	17,070	17,291	16,740	17,752	97	106
Hay, all tame, harvested	"	57,197	61,016	62,838	60,427	103	96
Wheat, planted	"	69,311	55,109	67,030	66,705	122	100
Rye, for harvest as grain	"	3,700	2,777	2,408	2,325	87	97
Rice, planted	"	1,118	1,531	1,525	1,490	100	98
<u>Oil and Fiber Crops</u>							
Soybeans, harvested for beans	"	4,121	10,820	13,654	10,853	126	79
Flaxseed, planted	"	2,307	6,320	5,895	3,285	93	56
Peanuts, (grown alone	"	2,361	5,082	6,158	4,169	121	68
(picked and threshed	"	1,818	3,607	4,964	3,434	138	69
Cotton, in cultivation July 1	"	26,357	21,942	22,277	20,472	101	92
Flax for fiber	"	2/ 6	14	12	3/ 12	86	100
Hemp, for seed and fiber	"		226	271	73	120	27
Broom corn, planted	"	326	272	414	372	152	90
<u>Sugar Crops</u>							
Sugar beets, planted	"	913	617	951	646	154	68
Sugarcane, harvested	"	291	316	333	304	105	91
<u>Vegetables</u>							
Irish potatoes, planted	"	2,913	3,430	3,519	3,084	103	88
Sweet potatoes, planted	"	741	898	1,056	828	118	78
Fresh vegetables, 23 crops	"	1,730	1,560	1,688	1,672	108	99
Processing vegetables, 11 crops	"	1,485	2,079	2,210	2,092	106	95
<u>Other Crops</u>							
Dry beans, planted	"	1,977	2,674	3,048	2,340	114	77
Dry peas, planted	"	280	832	895	746	108	83
Tobacco	"	1,614	1,449	1,756	1,686	121	96
Cover crop seed	"	212	418	362	370	87	102
Hay crop seed	"	3,907	3,486	4,868		140	
<u>Livestock and Animal Production</u>							
Milk, production of farms	Million Pounds	107,899	118,140	121,237		103	
Milk cows, number on farms	Thousand Head	23,579	25,661	26,148		102	
Eggs	Million Dozen	3,252	4,514	4,597		102	
Hens and Pullets	Thousands	376,576	487,837	527,012		108	
Chickens	"	656,464	933,965	892,983	745,795	96	84
Chicken, broilers	"	110,927	251,649	208,805		83	
Turkeys	"	30,723	32,970	32,079	35,666	97	111
Hogs: (Sows to farrow in spring	"	7,525	12,116	10,325	9,269	85	90
(Sows to farrow in fall	"	4,798	7,594	6,898	4,990	91	72
Cattle and calves (total	"	67,403	82,192	76,842		93	
(beef cows	"	10,534	13,659	11,970		88	
Sheep and lambs	"	52,101	51,718	51,901		100	

1/ Based on latest reports available at time of preparation. 2/ Harvested. 3/ Unofficial estimate.

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